Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 21 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Saturday 22 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 20 Apr 2023 at 17:25

Confidence: High confidence for dry and settled conditions into Saturday becoming unsettled with showers turning wintry from late Sunday. Lower confidence for detail of showers.

Headline for Friday 21 Apr 2023: Dry with long sunny periods. Feeling cold in strong winds near summits.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 21 Apr 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	30%	30%

Forecast for Friday 21 Apr 2023

Weather: Overnight mist or low cloud soon clears to leave a dry morning with sunny spells. Cloud will build through the afternoon with a few showers spreading west later in the night.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 90% becoming 60% later.

Low cloud and visibility: Visibility will be very good with early mist or low cloud clearing shortly after dawn. Cloud will become broken at 700-900m through the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	37/52 E	31/43 E	33/46 NE	35/47 NE	36/51 NE	40/57 E	36/51 E	31/43 E	28/39 NE
300	18/34 E	16/30 NE	18/32 NE	20/34 NE	24/39 NE	25/42 NE	20/36 NE	17/31 E	17/29 NE
Valley	15/33 E	12/28 E	14/31 NE	16/32 NE	20/38 NE	21/41 E	17/34 E	15/29 E	14/27 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-3	4/-3	4/-3	5/-2	8/2	8/3	7/1	6/-1	4/-2
300	6/1	5/1	6/1	8/4	11/7	12/8	10/6	8/4	6/2
Valley	7/3	6/3	7/3	10/7	13/9	13/9	11/8	9/6	8/4
<< Freezing Level*	1400m	1400m	1400m	1500m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1500m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Feeling cold in strong summit winds.

Forecast for Saturday 22 Apr 2023

Weather: Cloudy with showers or longer periods of rain, possibly heavy at times.

Maximum wind: Northeast 20-25mph gusts 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 30%.

Low cloud and visibility: The visibility will be good with broken cloud at 700-900m, falling moderate or poor in rain and showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 1 Celsius rising to 11 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: 900m

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